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Legislature. The Connecticut legislature is currently working with Governor Ned Lamont on aid packages. The legislature is working remotely and considering different methods to record votes on legislation.¹

Governor. Schools in Connecticut were initially closed by Governor Lamont until March 31, which has now been extended to April 20. Since March 23, nonessential state workers have been directed to work from home.² Governor Lamont also announced the launch of a bridge loan program on March 25, 2020.³ Governor Lamont has also taken steps to establish drive-through COVID-19 testing centers.

Cases. As of March 26, 2020, the state of Connecticut has reported 1,012 confirmed cases of the COVID-19 virus and 21 deaths.⁴

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